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METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE MEASUREMENT OF THE WAVE SURFACE DEFORMATIONS INTRODUCED BY AN OPTICAL SYSTEM

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Abstract (en)

[origin: US4558948A] The invention relates to an apparatus for measuring the wave surface distortions introduced by a lens, comprising a source which emits coherent light of frequency ν_0 ; means for creating a reference beam and a measuring beam; a Bragg cell receiving and transmitting said beams, excited by a radio-frequency wave of frequency f emitted by a generator, the reference beam transmitted having the frequency ν_0 and the measuring beam diffracted by the cell having a frequency $\nu_0 + f$; means for transmitting the beams from the cell to the lens to be tested; detection means transforming the light signal from the lens into an electrical signal of frequency f and whereof the phase is characteristic of the wave surface distortions introduced by the lens; and means for measuring the phase displacement between the phase of the electrical signal from the detection means and the phase of an electrical signal corresponding to the radio-frequency waves.

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